Hello

This is Joan Kranz, I am a voter from Stamford, CT. Passing both S.B. 184 and H.B. 5262 (Continuing Absentee Voting in 2022 due to COVID19) is vital. Our nation is at a crossroads and our democracy is stronger when as many eligible people as possible vote. This is the 21st century, many of our voting laws, including the second Tuesday in November date, are no longer relevant.

In 2020, 650,000 Connecticut voters voted by absentee ballot in the Election. They voted early on their own schedules because they could. This led to record breaking 80% voter turnout. As legislators, you must listen to the voters and their choice is clear. Protect the freedom to vote and the voice of the citizens and pass S.B. 184 and H.B. 5262. Thank you.

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